
Plaque commemorating the separation of Vic. from N.S.W.

Location

Moorabool Street, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 312487

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO210

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE HISTORIC PLACES DOCUMENT SHEET - GRC SHEET NO 245

The plaque commemorating the establishment of the Colony of Victoria in 1850 is located on the site where announced in Geelong.

The plaque also records an important event in Geelong in November, 1850, when news of Separation was marked by a foreshore pageant, procession and fireworks display, and a public banquet;

RECOMMENDATIONS: PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Geelong Regional Commission Register

REFERENCES

The plaque is inscribed as follows:

'On November 1850

Here in Front of Mack's Hotel

Settlers met the First Ships to Use

The Steam Packet Wharf

And Learnt that the Act to Establish

The Colony of Victoria

Had Been Passed'

Victorian 1951 Commemorative Committee

Lang, W. R. - 'Geelong's Monuments and Plaques' - No 5 Geelong Historical Records Centre.

Victorian 1951 Commemorative Committee,

Foreshore Pageant Geelong, 1951

Pamphlet (copy held by PL Brown).

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Greater Geelong Outer Areas Heritage Study Volumes 1, 2 & 4, Authentic Heritage Services Pty Ltd, 2000;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered object,
Hermes Number	21991
Property Number	

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